

He was interrupted with a blow on the jaw by Congressman Johnson.

GIVES ADVICE TO NEW MEMBERS.

During the hearing of the bill providing free rides on street cars for the blind, the committee members, who returned to his duties yesterday after a brief seizure of a gripper, came into the committee room and addressed the subcommittee. He said he felt he should tell the committee members some of the things which happened in the last Congress. "As it appears the members of this subcommittee are all new members," he said at one time, "Mr. Johnson, looking at Mr. Shields, 'this committee had before it a bill to put crossing policemen on the same footing with other members of the force. It appears that the members of that subcommittee, last session, were in favor of the bill, but notwithstanding this, rumor had it that Mr. Shields collected a large lobbyist fee from these men."

"I simply wanted to lay this matter before you, so that you could know, while you might be voting to allow free rides for firemen and policemen, you may also be voting to pay some one four or five thousand dollars in lobbyist fees."

Attorney Shields was visibly angered at this, and he quipped in his chair, while the committee members talked of further hearings on the street car bill. He arose several times, and finally demanded a motion to adjourn and the statement from Mr. Crosser that he would be given a full hearing. As the committee was preparing to break up, Mr. Shields insisted on being heard today, and as he uttered the word "false" was struck in the jaw by Chairman Johnson.

ROBBED ON TRAIN, BLAMES DETECTIVE

Miners' Union Official Says Agent of Owners Took Reports at Pistol Point.

WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 20.—Posses in charge of state officials and miners' union officers today are securing the hills around Clarksburg, W. Va., in an effort to apprehend the man who held up and robbed James Rodda, mine worker, union official, of valuable papers on a Baltimore and Ohio Pullman, last night.

Rodda says he identified the hold-up man as a private detective employed by mine operators. Rodda, on his way to Indianapolis to submit reports of the strike situation in this State, to the miners' annual convention, was awakened in his berth just as the train was nearing Clarksburg. The robber was bending over him, with a revolver pressed to his head.

"Don't move, and give me all those reports," the man commanded. The robbery awakened none of the other passengers. Rodda, unarmed, turned over the papers and his money. Then the bandit turned to the porter and ordered him to stop the train. The porter obeyed. Rodda aroused the other passengers.

Seek Person Who Armed Prisoners

McALESTER, Okla., Jan. 20.—An investigation was begun here today to discover where the three convicts, who yesterday led a rioting in the State penitentiary and were killed after shooting to death four persons and wounding three, obtained the revolvers used in the battle which followed their attempt to escape.

Acid Stomachs Extremely Dangerous.

Nine-Tenths of All Stomach Trouble Due to Acidity.

Physician's Advice on Cause and Cure

A famous physician whose successful researches into the cause and cure of stomach and intestinal diseases have earned for him an international reputation, said in the course of a recent lecture that nearly all intestinal troubles, as well as many diseases of the vital organs, are directly traceable to acid stomach. Such condition is due to times out of ten to excessive acidity, which not only irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, but causes gastritis and stomach ulcers as well. Acid, he says, should only be in the stomach when food is there, and when a person has the slightest suspicion that anything is wrong they should at once secure a remedy for the acid multiplies and accumulates so fast that it is only a short time until it eats through the stomach walls causing ulcers, cancers and death. Too much acid affects the intestines, as well, and causes appendicitis, indigestion, and countless ills emanating from a deranged condition. He condemns the use of patent medicines and drugs as they only increase the suffering and advises the use of bismuthated magnesia, which, by neutralizing the acidity of the food, removes the source of the trouble. Both he and his colleagues have obtained remarkable results from this simple preparation. He says that it is as effective to treat the stomach without removing the source of the trouble as it would be for a man who stepped on a tack to rub liniment on the foot without first removing the tack. Remove the cause and the foot will heal—neutralize the acidity and stomach troubles will disappear. Irritating medicines and medical treatments are useless, as they only increase the contents of the stomach remain acid; remove the acidity and there will be no need for medicine—the inflamed lining of the stomach will then heal itself. Bismuthated magnesia will remove acidity, heal the stomach, and insure the sufferer from gastritis, stomach ulcers, bad breath, belching, wakefulness, sour stomach in the morning, and all troubles arising from this condition. Procure a small bottle from your druggist and take half a teaspoonful in a quarter of a glass of water after each meal, repeating in fifteen minutes if necessary. This will be found to give quick relief in all cases of the severest or mildest condition of stomach acidity, and makes a pleasant, inexpensive home remedy.

NEW AVENUE LAMPS

The return blow was instantaneous, and before the surprised committee members could get to their feet the two combatants were knocking over chairs and struggling all about the committee table. The blows were falling fast when Mr. Gorman, Mr. Reed, and Fred Allen separated the combatants. Mr. Johnson then rushed toward his inner office, shouting for a pistol, and several of the spectators went after him, slamming the inner door.

"Let Me Kill Him."

When someone yelled "you'd better get out of here," the irate voice of Mr. Johnson could be heard demanding that the door be opened, and "let me kill him," Shields, carried at the front of a dozen men who were seeking to quit the outer office, was forced into the corridor and practically forced into an elevator. He too, was still belligerent. Congressman Kefauver, on peace bent, advised everybody to quit the room and the majority followed his advice. All returned after Mr. Johnson's anger was partially appeased, and he stood with towel in hand protesting that his friends should not have stopped the fight.

"It was a good sporting proposition," said Mr. Winslow of Massachusetts, to relieve the tension.

"You never can tell what's going to happen," said Congressman Kahn of California. The hearing proper was overshadowed by the stirring finale, but the pre-fight adjournment was with the understanding that the committee will hold further hearings on the Kahn bill.

Attorney Shields has a little the advantage of Congressman Johnson in weight and build. The men are of about equal height, but Chairman Johnson is of spare frame. Shields is heavy. He is a heavy, and once played with the Columbia Athletic Club team in this city. He is about forty years old, while Congressman Johnson is about fifty-five.

HINES FUNERAL TO BE IN WASHINGTON

Body of Former Commissioner Will Be Brought Back From Battle Creek.

The body of former District Commissioner L. G. Hine, who died at Battle Creek, Mich., yesterday, of pneumonia, will be brought back to Washington for burial. Mr. Hine left Washington last November in poor health and was thought to be recovering, when he unexpectedly developed an attack of pneumonia, which caused his death.

He was Commissioner of the District from May 16, 1889, to October 1, 1890, when he resigned. He associated himself with Ottmar Mergenthaler, the inventor of the linotype and at one time was president of the company which marketed Mergenthaler's invention. Mr. Hine was eighty-three years old. He leaves four daughters and one son—Mrs. F. A. Penning, Mrs. J. Ramsey Nevitt and Mrs. Edward P. Mertz, all of Washington; Mrs. J. Milton Boone, of St. Clair, Pa., and Oliver C. Hine, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Radium Kills Growth

Size of Patient's Fist

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20.—A patient has just been dismissed from Dr. Kelly's sanatorium who, when the radium treatment was started about a month before had a knot on his forehead as large as his fist, and had to have hats specially made. While a guest at the Hotel Altamont he was kept in bed all the time. After one week of treatment he abandoned his special hat, and when he left here he had an ordinary hat of normal size, with only a red spot to show where the growth had been.

A minstrel show and dance will be given by the Young Women's Hebrew Association at old Masonic Temple this evening.

Only One "BROMO QUININE," that is **Laxative Bromo Quinine** Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

E. W. Johnson on box 25c

EDUCATIONAL

Information regarding any of the below schools may be had at the EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION BUREAU OF THE WASHINGTON TIMES.

NIGHT SCHOOL

Many young men and women are today holding responsible and well paying positions as a result of the training received in our Night School. Careful individual instruction is given in Business Typewriting, Bookkeeping, and all commercial branches. Call, write or phone Main 3420 for catalogue.

Stevens' Business College, Old Masonic Temple, 9th and E Sts.

SECRETARIES

(Morning classes and private tuition.) The accomplishments which qualify for secretarial positions are rapidly imparted. Full particulars free. Call or write 60 1/2 St. N. W.

COLUMBIA SCHOOL OF DRAFTING

MOLACHLEN BLDG., 10TH AND G STS. DROP CARD OR CALL FOR CATALOGUE.

The Berlitz School of Languages, 110 14th St. N. W. Telephone Main 3217.

THE BENT METHOD SUPERIOR NATIVE TEACHERS Private and class lessons Day and Evening. NEW CLASSES CONSTANTLY FORMING. Free conversation classes for students.

HALL-NOYES SCHOOL

Principal 11 years' teacher Central H. S. Coaching for all city high schools, college preparation thorough. Catalogue free. Phone Main 3877, 221 E. St. N. W.

Mrs. Emily Frech Barnes, 142 11th St. N. E. Line 1724.

STEWART'S BUSINESS COLLEGE

RECORDING, BOOKKEEPING, L. A. CALLAN, INSTRUCTION, RADIO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR, 117 1/2 St. N. E. Line 1211

CONGRESS FAVORS ENLARGED SCHOOL

Mystery Surrounding Refusal to Accept Recommendation of Commissioners Is Solved.

(Continued from First Page.)

ing as an amendment a provision for \$24,000 to begin the construction of a new Central High School, called on the committee to explain its failure to provide for a building on the site which had already been purchased.

For Future Growth.

In the explanation given by Mr. Taylor of Ohio, a member of the subcommittee, by Mr. Burleson, its chairman, and by Mr. Fitzgerald, the chairman of the general committee, it was frankly stated that the committee did not recommend an appropriation because in its judgment the building proposed by the Commissioners was not large enough to provide for the future growth of the school. Mr. Taylor said in part:

"It is quite true that the hearings before the committee developed the fact that the Commissioners had about decided to erect a building, costly and monumental almost, beautiful, and one that was appropriate to the site, BUT WHICH WAS GOING TO ACCOMMODATE ONLY 1,500 PUPILS."

"Mr. Fitzgerald—Did not one of the Commissioners who urged this most strongly state to the committee that he would oppose placing on that ten-acre plot a building that would accommodate more than 1,500 pupils?"

"Mr. Taylor—He did, and I have stated that, and I stood here for half an hour the other day and argued that I would oppose his view on that subject."

"Mr. Fitzgerald—And is not that the attitude of the Commissioner and the position that will be taken if this building be authorized without determining in advance just what should be done at that place?"

"Mr. Taylor—No; I do not know that it would be. That was the statement of the Commissioner, but I do not believe, however, that he would fly in the face of Congress if he found that his ideas did not jibe with those of Congress."

"Mr. Fitzgerald—The only way that an official would know what the idea of Congress would be, would be to specify in the authorization with such distinctness that there would be no mistake."

For No Waste On Site.

"Mr. Taylor—I will say to the gentleman frankly, that I agree with him because the gentleman himself in our conversations in committee suggested that there should not be a waste of this site; that a building should be built either as an extensive building or by adding units to take care of 5,000 or 6,000 pupils. The gentleman cited a case in the gentleman's own city of Brooklyn that taken care of a large number of pupils."

Mr. Burleson in closing the debate said:

"There is pending on the calendar at this time a Senate bill setting aside an unexpended balance of an appropriation made in the last appropriation bill for the purchase of the two school buildings for Central High School and M. T. school, for the preparation of plans and specifications for the new school buildings. When that bill comes before the House for consideration the House will be asked to appropriate, in the authorization on Appropriations, which deal with this particular subject, have in mind to offer certain

Woodward & Lothrop

New York—WASHINGTON—Paris.

A FUR COAT Is a Genuine Economy When Bought at Present Low Prices.

These Coats were sold to us by a manufacturer who preferred to take a loss rather than hold them longer. To them we have added all the fur coats we had in our own stock.

Russian Pony, Caracal, Nearsal, Hudson Seal, Marmot, Persian Lamb, Coney and Blended Taupé and Squirrel are all represented. Modified cutaway and straight fronts, many of them with collar and some with both collar and cuffs of a different kind of fur; sleeves in regulation or Mandarin type. The various effects combined produce styles that are delightful in their simplicity and elegance.

The items here given tell accurately of the very remarkable reductions.

Black Pony Coats:

52-inch, \$25. Value, \$60.
52-inch, \$25. Value, \$50.
52-inch, \$39.50. Value, \$75.
52-inch, \$65. Value, \$90.
36-inch, \$25. Value, \$50.

52-inch Marmot Coats:

\$39.50. Value, \$60.
\$25.00. Value, \$50.

52-inch White Coney Coats:

\$25.00. Value, \$45.00.

52-inch French Seal Coats:

\$75.00. Value, \$125.
\$85.00. Value, \$130.

45-inch Seal Coats

With Contrasting Collar: \$75. Value, \$125.

45-inch Caracal Coats:

\$62.50. Value, \$100.
\$75.00. Value, \$125.

52-inch Sable Squirrel Coats:

\$95. Value, \$150.
\$115. Value, \$160.

36-inch Sable Squirrel Coats:

\$75. Value, \$125.

45-inch Persian Lamb Coats,

Plain or with Seal Collar and Cuffs. \$95.00 Value, \$150

Our \$45.00 Black Fox Sets, \$29.50 each.

These sets require four skins, two for the scarf and two for the muff. They are carefully selected and finished with heads and tails. The large scarf and handsome pillow muff make a high-grade, beautiful and durable set that earlier in the season cost \$45.00; now offered at the

Third floor, G St.

Very low price of \$29.50.

Cutter Towing Flooded Oil Steamer Into Port

With her engine room, boiler room and forenoon full of water, the oil steamer *Energie* is being towed to Jacksonville, Fla., today by the revenue cutter *Yamacraw*.

The tank struck a shoal off the east coast of Florida on the night of January 17.

Anti-Saloon League to Start Fund Canvass

To obtain additional time for the perfection of details, the Anti-Saloon League campaign committee has postponed the \$10,000 canvass for funds for two weeks.

The big meeting which was originally scheduled for Sunday will be February 8, in Calvary Baptist Church. Speakers

of prominence and special Anti-Saloon League songs will feature the meeting. Teams for the canvass are being organized among men's Bible classes and young women in various Sunday schools.

The league has planned an aggressive campaign. The trustees have approved the employment of a superintendent and the use of newspaper advertising with an educational campaign of scientific temperance posters and lantern slides.

Store Opens at 8:30

M. Brooks & Co.

The Woman's Store, 1109 G Street

Store Closes at 5:30

All Winter Garments To Be Closed Out at Less Than Cost

When you consider the fact that every garment shown has only been in the store a few months you can appreciate the high character of the stock.

\$25 Suits in matelasse, serges, etc. \$11.50
\$35 Suits in velveteen, broadcloth, matelasse \$19.95
\$55.00 Suits, one of a kind models \$29.50

Greater Values Than Ever in Coats

\$10.95 \$19.95

The values range from \$20.00 up to \$35.00.

EVENING AND AFTERNOON DRESSES

\$15 and \$25
Worth up to \$50

Special serge and wool poplin dresses special **\$10.00** at.....
Also country club dresses in serge at..... \$10.

Extra heavy messaline and silk jersey Underskirts **\$2.98** in all the new shades.....



"Real Opportunity Comes Only to the Man With Ready Money."

John D. Rockefeller

Rockefeller's gigantic enterprises show what consolidation—the concentration of resource and purpose—combined with opportunity, can accomplish. Whether you want to start or to expand, you need money. To attract more money you must save some of your own. The man with a savings account is the man in whom people have confidence. Begin to prepare for your opportunity today. Start a savings account.

Join the "Dollar-a-Week" Savings Club

Many Advantages—No Disadvantages

Each member agrees to deposit a dollar or more a week. A great many people refuse to join some savings clubs because they can't get their money out until a year has elapsed. In case of necessity, members of this club CAN WITHDRAW THEIR MONEY AT ANY TIME.

Join our club today. Don't be a slave to money—make money a slave to you.

BANK OF COMMERCE AND SAVINGS

Open Saturday Evening From 6 to 8 o'Clock

Corner 7th and E Streets
Under Supervision U. S. Government

Rockefeller's gigantic enterprises show what consolidation—the concentration of resource and purpose—combined with opportunity, can accomplish. Whether you want to start or to expand, you need money. To attract more money you must save some of your own. The man with a savings account is the man in whom people have confidence. Begin to prepare for your opportunity today. Start a savings account.

Join the "Dollar-a-Week" Savings Club

Many Advantages—No Disadvantages

Each member agrees to deposit a dollar or more a week. A great many people refuse to join some savings clubs because they can't get their money out until a year has elapsed. In case of necessity, members of this club CAN WITHDRAW THEIR MONEY AT ANY TIME.

Join our club today. Don't be a slave to money—make money a slave to you.

BANK OF COMMERCE AND SAVINGS

Open Saturday Evening From 6 to 8 o'Clock

Corner 7th and E Streets
Under Supervision U. S. Government

TAXPAYERS BEWARE

Don't forget to pay the taxes on your real estate for year 1913 by January 31, or your name will appear in the

DELINQUENT TAX LIST